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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20554

> Re: WT Docket No. 17-200 Ex Parte Presentation

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 10, 2019, Christopher Guttman-McCabe of CGM Advisors, LLC, and Jot Carpenter, of Carpenter Strategic Consulting, on behalf of Anterix, Inc. ("Anterix,") met with Nick Degani, Senior Counsel to Chairman Ajit Pai. The parties discussed the issues involved in clearing the proposed broadband segment for use by utilities and other industrial entities that wish to deploy private LTE networks and the criteria for qualifying for a 900 MHz broadband license. The Anterix representatives emphasized the escalating demand by potential users for access to 900 MHz broadband capabilities, as evidenced by the four granted experimental licenses for LTE operations in the band, with a fifth application on file with the FCC and numerous others under discussion.

Additionally, Mr. Guttman-McCabe and Mr. Carpenter highlighted that the recent Utility Broadband Alliance ("UBBA") event held at Alabama Power attracted more than 150 utility representatives, thus demonstrating the near-term needs of the utility and critical infrastructure sector. The Anterix representatives urged the FCC to adopt final rules in the proceeding as quickly as possible in response to the urgent needs of these industries.

This letter is being filed electronically, in accordance with Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(b), for inclusion in the record in this proceeding.

Kindly refer any questions or correspondence regarding this matter to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

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cc (via email): Nicholas Degani